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Council Gives OK To Borrow Money

The Elba City Council meeting Monday night opened with a report from the students participating in Youth Government Day last Thursday. They had several recommendations for improvements in the city. Following their report, the group was thanked by the Mayor and Council for their participation.

Study Club Gives To Elba Rescue Squad

Mrs. Kathy Smith and Mrs. Henrietta Grimes are shown donating a check to the Elba Rescue Squad, represented by Mr. Marvin McIlwain.



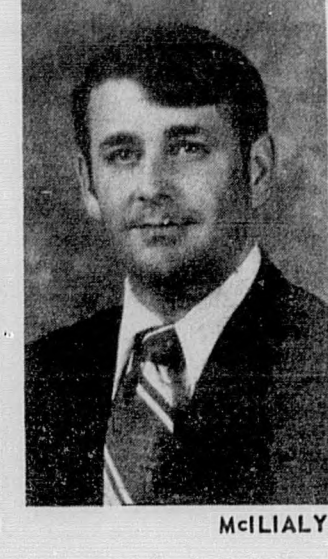
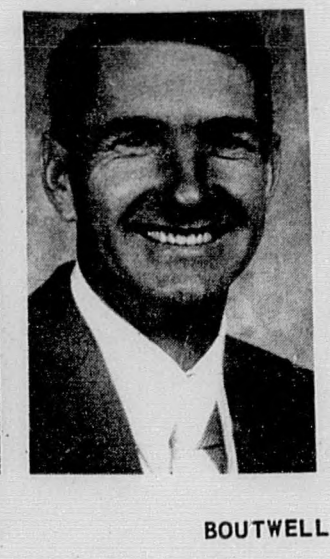
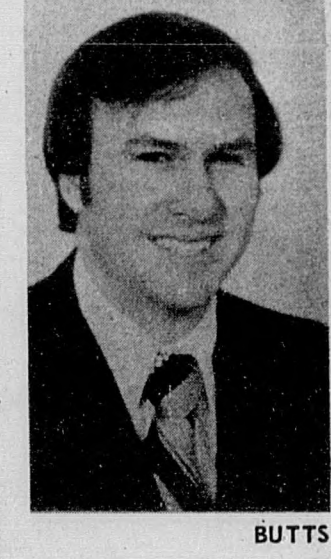
Fire Damages Home

A faulty clothes dryer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Powe last Friday caused extensive damage to the house and contents. Above Elba fireman Charles Cox is shown attempting to force his way to the fire with a water hose.



Gas Truck Jackknifes Into Ravine

A diesel truck hauling a tanker filled with gasoline jackknifed and flipped into a ravine on Friday at 3:17 p.m. while coming down a steep grade on highway 64 west, just east of the Pea River bridge (Brunson Hill).



Record Number Votes Here Tuesday

Exactly one half of the local political races were decided in Tuesday's election. Six candidates won a clear majority to claim the Democratic nomination. Six other offices are subject to a run-off if the number two candidate desires a run-off.



Bert Ennos, left, is shown explaining the finer points of Camp ASCA to Elba Rotarians. Kasper Anderson, right, told Elba Rotarians about the progress of the summer camp operated by the Alabama Society for Crippled Children and Adults which is partially funded by Elba Rotarians.

Dorsey Reports Sales Earnings Record

The Dorsey Corporation (NYSE) today reported that for the third consecutive quarter record sales were attained and that earnings were greater than those reported in any first quarter in the history of the corporation.

3 Charged With Break-In At Feed Store

The Coffee County Sheriff's Department made three arrest Friday afternoon in connection with the cases of breaking and entering at Curtis Seed and Feed.

Two Near Elba Die Of Gunshot Wounds

Coffee County law officers have investigated two additional deaths in the Elba area during the past week that were ruled as death by self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Country Club To Be Open

The dining room at the Elba Country Club is now serving short orders and meals again, according to a statement by Mrs. L. F. Homan, secretary of the organization.

Bands Plan Concerts For Next Tuesday

The Beginner, Intermediate and Concert bands of Elba High School will play four selections on Tuesday, May 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.



The 38-member Beginner Band will play three selections entitled "Castles in Spain," "Aurora Lee," and "I Have A Song."

The Intermediate Band, composed of 50 second-year students, will play "Green Sleeves," "Robin Hood and Little John," "Theme From the New World Symphony," and "Marching to Pretoria."

The 62-member Concert Band will play four selections entitled "March of the Pioneers," "Two Intermezzi," "Norwegian Folk Song Suite," and "Rainy Days and Mondays."

The Symphonic Band will give their Spring Concert on Thursday, May 20, at 7:30 p.m. Their program will be announced at a later date.

Admission to the concerts is free; however, complimentary tickets may be secured from band members.

Harrell Carroll defeated Steve Bragg for Place 3 on the Coffee County School Board. Carroll is presently serving on the board, filling out an unexpired term of W. H. Taylor who resigned earlier this year.

Bill Daughtry faces a run-off in his bid for Place 5 of the County School Board. He will meet Billy F. Boland on May 25th. Daughtry led by a 307 margin. Andy Wilson the third man in the race had 2362 votes, about one thousand votes short of the number two man.

The Circuit Clerk race will be decided on May 25th, when Jim Ellis attempts to hold off a charge by Jean Parrish to be high vote getter in that race. Ellis led in the Tuesday voting by 318 votes.

Commissioner of District 1 will also be decided on May 25th when Glimmer Grant tries to get enough votes to overcome a 43 vote deficit held by Leon Smart.

Jack Hornaby is the leader in the race for Commissioner of District 2. He leads Marion Sanders by 1504 votes. The third man in this race, Milfred Head, got 2545 votes.

Bennie Beckham, the incumbent, faces challenger Roy Sims in the Commissioner of District 4, Place 2 race. He leads Sims by 1622 votes. Third in that race was Robert E. Kelley with 1182. H. F. Cardwell had 1148.

The last of six commissioner races is led by Max J. Reeves. He leads incumbent O. V. Waters and Jacks 182 votes winning a clear majority.

The amendments voted on Tuesday were tabulated by officials Wednesday and one passed and the other failed.

Amendment Number 1 failed in Coffee County as well as statewide. It was a retirement deal and the man who sponsored the bill urged that it be defeated.

Amendment Number 2 was a Coffee County amendment and it passed by a vote of 2480 to 1881. The bill puts several courthouse officials on salary rather than the old fee system. Assuming it passed statewide, the bill will become law and will apply to the next term of these offices.

The candidates who face run-offs have not all said they planned to go through with the additional race. Jean Parrish and Jim Ellis will be in a run-off. Glimmer Grant and Leon Smart will also face the voters again. Roy Sims, Marion Sanders and O. V. Waters have not indicated their intentions at press time.

MAY

POOR ORIGINAL



BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

The first primary is now over and there are some happy faces and some sad faces. A number of candidates are not sure if they are happy or sad—they still face a May 25 run-off and the uncertainty of who will win and who will lose. My prediction of less than 50% voter turnout was off but not much. Just over 10,000 voters showed up to vote in Tuesday's election.

Half heartedly, I checked to see my percentage of picking winners in this race and as usual it was not very good. If you include the run-offs, I managed to break the 50% barrier myself but this is about my record. But win, lose or draw, the candidates elected will be my county officials just as if I had cast the first and only vote in their favor.

Saturday night my family and I were returning from a visit to a Dothan hospital when we lost a tire in Enterprise. It was late at night and sure enough the spare was flat also. I started walking and had gone only a few yards when Max Davis and Lisa Sharpless passed, turned around and stopped to help. Before we could get in another car with Elba teenagers also pulled up to help. Each generation thinks the younger generation is "going to the dogs" but in spite of it all, I still find good teenagers today, just as there was yesterday.

This cool weather we have been having this month has combined with a heavy work load and just stopped my fishing. But one of these days I am going to break away and catch me a whole bunch of those fish that warrant picture taking!

Daylight saving time has been with us for over a week now. It is still a bit hard on me getting accustomed to the rising one hour earlier. By the time I really get set for it, we will change back and I will have an hour to lay in bed and think about it each morning.

Congratulations to you those candidates who are not winners. It is the democratic process that built this country and it is the democratic process that will save it.

Elba High Students Run City Government



"Chief" Willie Robinson get some pointers from Elba's Chief Johnston.



"City Clerk" Mark Kelley passes time of day with Mr. Jim Nichols, Elba Gen. Hospital Ad.

Around Alabama With Ruby

"I know, when you think of a university president, you get a mental picture of some grey-haired, distinguished looking professor-type. The U.

of Ala. dispelled that mental image when they got that cute little ole Dave Mathews for president. Well, Dave has moved on to manage HEW

Scenes From The Beta Club Initiation At County Lake



"Councilman" discuss paving and fixing streets with city clerk Jack Prescott.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Ferrin:
I appreciate the remarks that you have made several different times about why not shop in Elba.

Last Saturday a lady came in my store and bought a dress. During our conversation, she said, "James, I bought a slack set from you not long ago and later I was out of town in one of those fine stores looking around and saw the same set on their rack marked ON SALE." She said their sale price was \$2.00 more than my regular price.

Thanks again for your feelings about us merchants.

Sincerely,
s/James Devane

BULLETIN BOARD

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AA Meeting 7:00 p.m. each Thursday at the hospital.

Elba City School Board - 1st Thursday night at 7:00.

BPW meets the 2nd Monday of each month.

NCOA - each 4th Friday night at 7:00 at Halley's

The Pilot Club will meet on 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 at the Big R.

American Legion meets 1st Tuesday at Legion Home at 7:00.

Water & Electric Board - 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Weight Watchers new meeting place - Courthouse Court Room at 7:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

The HRDC Office on Putnam Street invites participation in the ceramic & sewing classes each Wednesday afternoon.

THANK YOU

I Wish To Thank The People Of
Coffee County For Your Support
In Tuesday's Election.

I Solicit Your Support For The
May 25th Run-off.

BILL DAUGHTRY

Candidate For Board Of Education Place 5

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Bill Daughtry, Rt. 1, Jack, Ala.

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Selected FRESH CUCUMBERS 3 for **39¢**
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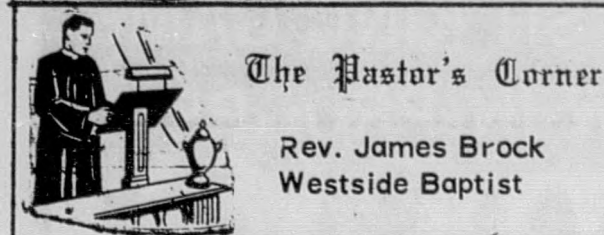
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The Pastor's Corner
Rev. James Brock
Westside Baptist

BE STILL

The Psalmist wrote, "Be still and know that I am God." (Psalm 46:10). Stillness is not a part of the ordinary life-style of the typical person in the last quarter of the twentieth century. The frantic pace of living abolishes hope for much time to be spent in meditation and thoughtfulness. Perhaps the intention of the Psalmist was that man escape the rush of living but that he become an oasis of calm in the middle of the storm. In such an oasis, man can discover some very important things about himself, about those around him, and about

In the stillness, individuals discover the incomparable joy of hearing the still small voice of God speaking. Elijah discovered that he did not find God in the whirlwind, the fire, or the earthquake, but in this inner sense of His presence and overshadowing power. Often, people seem to indicate that they doubt whether God is still in the business of speaking to men in their times of need. Perhaps the question is not whether God still speaks, but does man have time to listen. The life-giving words of God flow from the throne of grace in a never ending stream, and these words are available to those who take time to listen. Surely, God has something that he wants to say to you--do you have time to still and listen?

Openness to the words of God will, in the quietness of thoughtful meditation, lead to an evaluation of ones system of values. Either consciously or unconsciously, every person develops a sense of values which to a large degree determine individual reactions to people and circumstances. Someone has said that Americans know the price of everything and the value of nothing. It seems hardly possible that one can be still with God and reevaluate the value-system of his or her life. In such a reevaluation, people, circumstances, and things are placed in a proper perspective so that their true value is determined. It will be remarkable how unimportant some things really become when the proper method of evaluation is discovered.

One of the primary rewards of stillness in the presence of God, is the awareness that since God is willing to accept you, then you can accept yourself. Pent up resentment against yourself can only lead to frustration and unhappiness. What a glorious thing to discover that God sees and forgives our sins and that as a creature made in the image of God you can feel accepted. God expressed his

undying love for and desire to save man in Jesus Christ, and in Jesus individuals can see the best that they might become. In accepting yourself, you do not obliterate the fact that you are a sinner, but you accentuate the fact that you can be redeemed. Redemption involves not only the initial contact with God but the continuous redemption of the total life through Jesus Christ. Finally, "Be still and know that He is God," in order to arrive at a total commitment of self to Him. When you take time to consider who God is, and what He has done, then you can scarcely do anything else but surrender total life to Him. In the stillness, Elijah committed his life to return to the situation from which he had been running, and in the stillness you can discover the strength to live victoriously in the place where you are now.

Rev. And Mrs. Coates Honored By Members

Rev. and Mrs. Larry Coates were honored on Sunday, May 2, 1976, with a surprise welcome home ceremony by members of the Zion Chapel Baptist Church as a token of their love and appreciation. The Coates were returning from South Carolina where he conducted a revival. They were presented with gifts. Everyone enjoyed lunch at the church.

LET'S TALK ABOUT OUR TEENS

THE SCHOOL DROPOUT
BY: Chief M. W. Johnston, Elba Police Department

ARTICLE #3 of 13

Last week we touched on what might be done to prevent a youngster dropping out of school. This week's discussion will be on measures to be taken after it has happened. This office has a special interest in the subject because a high percentage of teens who get into serious trouble with the law are dropouts.

For the parent who has himself gone on through college, the thought of high school dropout is incomprehensible. Even to the parent who was a dropout in his own time it is hard to understand, because he, more than anyone, knows what a long-range mistake is being made.

What goes through the teen's mind when he becomes a dropout? Is he concerned with what it will mean to him later, how much it will cost him in unearned income, the effects it will have on his future family? Obviously he thinks only of himself, and what else could be expected of him, at this stage in emotional development he is taking a seemingly final, easy way out of what appears to him as a lot of senseless hard work.

Quick, immediate countermeasures are needed. Some found to be helpful are:

"Arrange with a young college student--one who is having to work to help put himself through school--to talk to your dropout about why he is putting forth all the effort it obviously takes. Determine what your youngster likes to do best, and try to tie it in with a career later. Example: He likes building model airplanes, and this might lead to becoming an aeronautical engineer, but certainly not with less than a college education. Show him how, without proper formal education, he cannot do the things he most enjoys and will have to forego them in favor of the work he won't like to do, just to make enough income to survive. Point out the alternative occupations, using those you know would be most repulsive to him.

"If he is involved with a girl be careful, discuss the possibilities of later marriage, how due to his lack of education, she will always have to work to help support their family. And, that she will most likely have more education than he and probably as a result, earn more money than her husband all their lives. Make him cringe at the thought, work on his ego.

"If there is a family church bond, arrange for him to have a talk with your minister. Even a minister unfamiliar with his case, in this situation would be more than willing to help in counsel.

"Prearrange a talk with an employment counselor, preferably one connected with a private employment agency. Pay for the time taken, if necessary, for having the differences in job availabilities explained by a professional will carry considerable weight with your teen.

Usually the dropout needs a drastic awakening to the path he has chosen, and it is unlikely the parent, at this stage, can get him out of his rut without outside help. Don't be embarrassed to ask, as any adult knows the severity of your plight, once apprised, and most are anxious to help a youngster.

Change things -- drastically -- away from the former routines, developing an atmosphere of serious intent in the home. Keep up a constant barrage of words of encouragement about returning to school, showing you fully expect him to do it. Be

der down!

Well, recently I was prepared to make a business trip to West Tennessee and an airline's toll-free number for reservations. It took five minutes for the clerk to arrange a flight that was suitable, but after a while she confirmed a flight for me. I learned that the representative I was talking to was Gene Adams whose parents live in Cookeville, Tenn., and when she discovered that I wrote a human interest column, the conversation took a strange twist. Mrs. Adams told me that she grew up in the mountains of Tennessee and one of her favorite hobbies was sitting in an old rocking chair, and just rocking!

To some people, especially those who haven't had the pleasure of rocking, the activity seems somewhat useless. But even now I can see my grandmothers rocking quietly while she knitted some garment to be worn proudly by one of her grandchildren. Pappaw sometimes rocked as he wrestled with a decision he needed to make, and my mother gently rocked a child to sleep near a warm stove when the weather was cold outside.

Gene Adams, who explained that her name was spelled like a boy's, touched a tender spot when she told me she enjoyed rocking, and I suppose there are thousands of people whose sentiments are the same, but she made me stop for just a moment to realize that most of us still enjoy these things in life that money can't buy. Like a person on the other end of a telephone line who shows that extra bit of kindness and courtesy that will never be forgotten. Or the few peaceful moments that are still possible when you find a rocking chair near a warm fireplace.

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St. Citizens Quilt For Trip To Troy

The St. Citizens of HRDC recently quilted a quilt and sold chances on it to raise money for a trip to the Troy Museum. The accompanying photograph shows Tammy Allen drawing a name. The winner was Mrs. Katherine Moore. The group will make the trip in late May, according to Mrs. Addie Lou Taylor, the HRDC Director.

Girl Scout Camp Coming Up In June

It is camp time at Humming Bird Camp. The camp is planned for June 14 - 18 at the Humming Bird Camp.

Older scouts will stay overnight on Thursday. Younger girls will go on nature hikes, learn arts and crafts and outdoor skills. All the girls will take part in waterfront activities - swimming and canoeing.

Registration should be sent to South Central Alabama Girl Scout Office, 10 W. Patton, Montgomery, AL. May 15 is deadline for registering.

Each town including Elba, Enterprise, New Brockton, Opp, Geneva, will provide its own transportation by car pool.

Girls are to register in their grade for next year, and registration should be sent in as soon as possible, since space is limited.

Even as Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness. Know ye therefore that they which are of faith, the same are the children of Abraham.

GAL. 3:6,7

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH - Larry Coates Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. . . 4:00 p.m. Church Training . . . 5:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. . . 6:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice - Wed. 8:00 p.m. Church Visi - Thur. 8:00 p.m.	ELBA CHURCH OF GOD Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening . . . 6:00 p.m. People's Endeavor . . . 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. . . 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m.	MT. VERNON CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening . . . 6:00 p.m. CMYS . . . 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. . . 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m.	NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Robert K. Davis, Jr. Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. . . 4:00 p.m. Training Union . . . 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m. "Outreach" Wed. . . 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Practice - Wed. 8:00 p.m. WELB Radio Sat. . . 9:30 a.m.	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ELBA - Robert K. Davis, Jr. Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Worship Service (WELB Radio) . . . 11:00 a.m. Church Training . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m. Wed. Family Supper . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 6:30 p.m.	WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. . . 4:45 p.m. Church Training . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Prac. . . 8:00 p.m. Nursery Open For Church Activities	DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Training Union . . . 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Prac. . . 8:00 p.m. Community Wide Visitation - Thursday Night	VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Church Practice . . . 5:00 p.m. Training Union . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . 7:00 p.m. Wed. Youth Serv. . . 6:30 p.m.	MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Church Training . . . 5:00 p.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . . 6:00 p.m.
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MY SINCERE THANKS

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I will continue to keep the interests of Coffee County at heart.

MILFRED HEAD

PD. POL. ADV. BY MILFRED HEAD, RT. 1, JACK, AL.

DEAR FRIENDS

I Am Most Grateful To My Many Friends Who Have So Faithfully Stood By Me.

I Am Thankful To You For The Excellent Vote

You Gave Me In Tuesday's Primary.

I Ask For Your Continued Support On May 25

BENNIE BECKHAM

PD. Pol. Adv. by Bennie C. Beckham, Enterprise, AL.

THANK YOU

TO THE MANY PEOPLE WHO VOTED FOR ME ON MAY 4. I SINCERELY APPRECIATE EVERY VOTE.

I ASK ALL VOTERS TO ELECT ME TO THE OFFICE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT 1 ON MAY 25.

GILMER GRANT

1st Pol. Adv. by Gilmer Grant, Rt. 1, Glenwood, AL.

TO THE CITIZENS OF COFFEE COUNTY:

MY HEARTFELT THANKS TO MY MANY FRIENDS IN COFFEE COUNTY.

It was an enjoyable experience visiting with you during my campaign. I shall never forget the courtesy shown to me.

Again, my appreciation to you that voted for me, and my respect to you that did not.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS.

Sincerely yours,

BEN BROCK

PD. Pol. Adv. by Ben J. Brock, Rt. 3, Elba, Ala.



Trooper Discusses DWI Reductions After Arrests

The following is a talk presented to the Lions Club of Elba at a recent meeting. Trooper Jack Weekley of the Alabama State Troopers gave the presentation to alert citizens to the present situation relating to drivers arrested for Driving While Intoxicated.

"Tonight we're going to talk about the 'habitual offender driver.' You know who he is. . . he's the person who has formed the habit of driving too fast, driving across the center line, he doesn't yield the right-of-way, he follows too close, he drives too slow and doesn't move with the flow of traffic, he takes chances and makes improper turns, and worse than any of these he DRINKS AND DRIVES. Most men of half an ounce of common sense know that driving while intoxicated is a crime, and it's my opinion that speeding and driving while intoxicated are about the worst faults any of us can have. And you'd better watch that good guy that you've just helped retain his license. . . if you're on a jury . . . he could take a couple of drinks and be headed straight at your family.

***A tremendous effort is currently underway in Alabama to get these offender drivers off the road. We have an old, obscure and almost forgotten, law on our books as active by being pursued in Madison, Montgomery and Mobile Counties. This law reads in part one of the legal definitions of "First-Degree" murder in Alabama, is any act "greatly dangerous" to the lives of others, and evidencing a "depraved mind," with no regard for human life. And the law says there doesn't have to be a "preconceived purpose" to take the life of anyone in particular.

The State Supreme Court has ruled that a motorist can be charged with "first-degree murder" in a traffic death where there is evidence of a "greatly dangerous" act and a "depraved mind" with no regard for human life. I think that the efforts of the officials in Madison, Montgomery, and Mobile Counties should be applauded, and it's my opinion that with more officials on this same track, we're going to get the drunks off our roads!

You know there was a time in Alabama when a drunk could RUN DOWN, and KILL, an innocent person, and pay a \$500 dollar fine, and get a 6 month suspended jail sentence, and go about his deadly game again and again, but I think those days are over. In some Scandinavian Countries, a conviction of Drunk Driving (not killing a person) carries an automatic 3 week jail sentence, no holes barred -- and over there, it doesn't matter WHO you know, or WHO you are! You cool it for three weeks, as a quest of the courts.

I wonder what would happen in Alabama if we had that same law. I would be willing to bet that you couldn't talk anybody into drinking and driving. You know a man doesn't hurt some of our more prominent citizens, but can you imagine some big wheel executive cooling it in the County Jail for three weeks -- I don't know of anybody that could stand that.

Following are some figures released by Trooper Weekley that were compiled for the month of March of this year, Total state/county DWI Arrests - 1,396

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REDUCED TO RECKLESS

So far this year - 6,708

So far this year - 3,440

DRIVING - 579

State/County DWI Convictions - State/County DWI arrests So far this year - 2,871

THANKS SO MUCH

I sincerely thank the voters of Coffee County for

again electing me as Commissioner, District 4,

Place 1, last Tuesday. I ask for your cooperation

as I continue to serve you, the people of Coffee County.

DON SMITH

PD. Pol. Adv. by Don Smith, Enterprise, Ala.

THANK YOU!

I would like to express my appreciation to the voters of Coffee County for the votes and support given me on May 4. I deeply appreciate what each of you did. Your continued support for May 25 is desired.

I extend congratulations to those who won in the May 4 Primary, and covet your support for me on May 25.

I hope those who supported the fine candidate who is no longer in the race will join my other friends in electing me your Commissioner of District 2.

I want EACH candidate to know how much we appreciate the past fellowship with each of you. This association has made this campaign enjoyable thus far, and I expect to see those STILL RUNNING, on the road some time during the next three weeks.

JACK HORNSBY

(PD. Pol. Adv. by Jack Hornsby, New Brockton, AL)

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BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

TAX COLLECTORS SALE

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COFFEE COUNTY

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18 1/2 acres in SW4 of SW4, 6-6-19. Tax and cost \$6.35. Printers fee: \$3.30, Total \$9.65

HUDSON, EDMOND & DOROTHY
.74 acres in SE4 of NE4, NE4 of SE4, 3-6-19. Residence, Tax and cost: \$43.65. Printers fee: \$3.82, Total \$47.47

COX, MURPHY
Lot 60 ft. front back to river in Elba; Tax and cost: \$10.50. Printers fee: \$3.04, Total \$13.54

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One acre in SE4 of NW4 25-7-21. Tax and cost: \$8.68. Printers fee: \$3.30, Total \$11.98

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Goshen School Sets Auction

Goshen Elementary School has planned a giant auction and sale to be held this Saturday, May 8, beginning at 2:00 p.m. The event will be held in the school gym. Parents have been busy for weeks gathering and making items to be auctioned.

A cedar gun cabinet has been built by Larry Hughes of Goshen and Byron Hughes of Glenwood. A type of wood-pull wagon is being built by Donnie Baggett of Glenwood.

Local farmers have joined the effort by donating livestock to be auctioned off in the school yard. Local craftsmen and artists have also donated to the cause...

Examples of donated items are: antiques of all sorts, furniture, appliances, wall plaques, piano, organ, typewriter, bicycles. Many items are new and were donated by merchants in Troy, Lawrence, Goshen, Glenwood, Brundidge, Elba and Montgomery.

A set of hanging lamps were sent from Albany, Georgia. According to Jerry Boutwell, chairman and Ben Andress, auctioneer, everything will be sold at some price.

A spaghetti supper (\$1.00 per plate) will begin at 5:00 p.m. Proceeds to toward air conditioning classrooms.

"Parents, teachers and students sincerely thank everyone who has helped with this project, and invite everyone out to the 'old fashioned' auction," said Beverly Taylor.

TSU Opera Workshop To Produce "Faust"

The devil, witches, black sabbath and demons may possess you on May 13 and 15. It all has to do with "Faust," the upcoming Opera Workshop production.

The promising cast, well-proved score, and the orchestra (representing several cities) will collaborate under the direction of Phil Kelley to provide an extravaganza.

The 1959 opera by Charles Gounod tells of an old scientist Faust (Don Freeman), who feels that his life of knowledge has been in vain.

While he is singing his farewell to the world over his toddy cup of hemlock, Mephistopheles (Steve Kean) appears to offer Faust eternal youth in exchange for his soul.

To add a little spice to the deal, the devil gives Faust a glimpse of a beautiful young girl (played by Linda Havens on the 18th) and by Mary Collier on the 19th). He assures Faust that he could have Marguerite if he were young again.

Now, who could turn down a deal like that? But, as everyone knows, the deal isn't always that simple, which Faust soon learns.

The plot unfolds with the characters of an outraged brother, Valentine (Tim Willis), his comrade Wagner, (Keith Caldwell), and Martha Schwartz (Mary Swindle), maid to Marguerite. An interesting role will be that of Smebel, (which is to be sung by Susie Shoman).

Composers sometimes wrote females into roles of young men so that the vocal part sounded more like a younger person. Deborah Chapel is choreographer. Dr. William Denton will conduct the orchestra.

Certain time is 8:00 p.m. Tickets will be available at Smith Auditorium the night of each production. For advance tickets, contact: Phil Kelley, Opera Workshop, Department of Fine Arts, T. S. U., Troy, Ala. 36061, or telephone 566-3000.

Donnie Smith Tapped For Phi Kappa Phi

Donnie Smith, of Elba, is one of 21 students at Troy State University tapped for membership in Phi Kappa Phi, a national scholarship society.

A senior biology and chemistry major, Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith of Elba.

He is also a member of Gamma Beta Phi, Beta Beta Beta, Omicron Delta Kappa and Beta Sigma.

MARY ELLEN ESTEY

Mrs. Mary Ellen Wyrosdick Estey, age 36, of Nicville, Florida died suddenly Friday night April 23 at 8:00 P.M. in Nicville.

Mrs. Estey was born in Coffee County December 18, 1939 to the late Garley Wyrosdick and Annie Pearl Cain Wyrosdick. She was a graduate of Ninon High School and Troy State University, and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Nicville.

Funeral services were held Monday April 26 at 2:00 p.m. from Little Chapel Mortuary in Fort Walton Beach, Florida. Officiating at the services was Rev. Bob Cogdill. Burial was in Sunset Cemetery in Valparaiso, Florida.

Survivors include her husband, Edwin Estey, Nicville; one daughter Miss Cynthia Renee Howard, age 11, Nicville, Florida; her mother Mrs. Annie Pearl Wyrosdick, Rt. 4 Elba; grandmother, Mrs. S. D. Cain, Rt. 4 Elba; three sisters Mrs. Jean Holde, Rt. 5 Elba, Mrs. Linda Daughtry, Elba, and Mrs. Louise Farris, Rt. 2 Kinston; one brother, Billy Wyrosdick, Rt. 4 Elba.

WILLIAM R. SINQUEFIELD
William Randolph Sinquefield, 54, Phenix City, died on April 30 at his sister's

home on Elba, Route 1. The funeral was held on May 3rd at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel. Burial followed in Mt. Zion Baptist Church Cemetery near Elba.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Marge Sinquefield, Douglas, Ga.; two daughters, Mrs. Toya Waldron and Mrs. Rene Moncrief, Douglas, two sons, William R. Sinquefield, Jr., Fulda, Germany, Shane Sinquefield, Douglas; two sisters, Mrs. Hilda Hornsby, Elba, Mrs. J. P. Cox, Jr., Sanford, N. C.; three brothers, J. F. and E. Winton Sinquefield, Phenix City, and Roy W. Sinquefield, Melbourne, Fl.

Mr. Daniel Marcus Barker, 60, of Jacksonville, North Carolina died on May 1, 1976. Funeral services were held on May 3, at the Woodland Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. Kenneth English and the Rev. Lamar LeCompte officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Mr. Barker is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Helen Gardner, Jacksonville, N. C.; also several nieces and nephews in this area, including Mrs. Roy (Pearl) Moseley, and Mrs. Nellie Martin, both of Elba.

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HOW RAINY WAS IT IN ELBA LAST FRIDAY---

IT WAS SO RAINY THAT THE BIRDS WERE HIDING!!!

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Mr. T. B

A MILLION THANKS

FOR THE VOTES I RECEIVED IN TUESDAY'S
PRIMARY. I ASK ALL VOTERS TO GO TO THE POLLS
ON MAY 25 AND ELECT ME AS COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
DISTRICT 4, PLACE 3.

O. V. WATERS

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by O. V. Waters, Enterprise, Al.)

MANY THANKS

TO THE VOTERS FOR SUPPORTING ME IN
TUESDAY'S PRIMARY. I ASK YOU TO CONTINUE
TO THINK OF ME AND CAST YOUR VOTE FOR ME
AGAIN ON MAY 25, AS YOUR CIRCUIT CLERK.

JIM ELLIS

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Jim Ellis, Elba, Al. 36323)

I APPRECIATE SO MUCH

All the support my many friends and acquaintances
gave me in Tuesday's primary. I thank each one who
came out and cast a vote for me.

LEROY MILLER

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Leroy C. Miller, Elba, Ala.)

THANKS, FRIENDS

For the great support you gave me last Tuesday. I ask
all Coffee County citizens to vote for me on May 25
and elect me as your Circuit Clerk.

JEAN PARRISH

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Jean Parrish, Elba, Alabama)



Judith Ann and Kacy Qualis were Voters
No. 39 and 40 in Beat 21 in Tuesday's
Primary. The Qualis' voted at Wise's
Mill

4-H Winning Bicentennial Essay

BY: JOHN COLEMAN,
Mrs. Stivers' Boys

AGRICULTURE

A basic activity of the
United States has always been
agriculture, and the nation con-
sistently ranks as one of the
world's top producers of agri-
cultural products and live-

stock. The pioneers learned
from the Indians how to plant
a new crop, corn, which is
now one of the world's lead-
ing grains. The Indians also
taught the planting and cul-
tivation of tobacco, which also be-
came a major agriculture com-
modity.

Some Guard Members

May Be Due

Back Pay

The Alabama Army Na-
tional Guard is looking for
Guard members who may be
due back pay.

The situation arose when on
January 1, 1973, a military pay
raise went into effect and was
made retroactive for a three-
month period. To receive the
pay difference for the three
months however, the member
had to make application through
his unit.

A letter from National Guard
Bureau has indicated there are
large numbers of members or
former members who have never
made application for the pay
for the period October 1
to December 31, 1972. This is
a nationwide problem and is
not confined to one state.

To alleviate the problem
in Alabama, the military pay
section is asking all persons
who were members of the Guard
during this time frame to con-
tact their former unit to see
if they are entitled to any re-
troactive pay. This is being
done to insure that all per-
sons have the opportunity to
claim this pay.

Unit technicians will help
in trying to answer any ques-
tions the former members may
have on the matter.

NEWS FROM SETWIRE

ABOUT "TB"

Remember the TB "bus"
on the corner with lines of
people waiting to be X-rayed?
The scene is disappearing.

For years, the mobile X-ray
unit was a standard way of find-
ing out who had TB. But the
times . . . and the problem of
TB . . . are changing.

The number of people with
active TB and those with tuber-
culosis infections have declined
over the last decades. Telling
drugs can prevent infections
from developing into active dis-
ease. And even when active dis-
ease does develop, drugs can
make the patient non-contagious
within a short time.

However, there are still
people who have a live TB and
do not know it. And when they
have live TB germs in their
spitum, they can spread the
disease just by coughing and
sneezing.

But back to the disappearing
TB bus. The fact is that mo-
bile X-ray units surveying gen-
eral populations find too few
cases. Over 95% of people
with new or reactivated TB
are found by other means than
mass X-ray screening in the
community-at-large. Today
most active TB is discovered
because the person has symp-

toms and seeks medical advice.
Some common symptoms of
TB are coughing a lot, feeling
tired all the time, spitting blood,
and losing weight. And one or
all of the symptoms can mean
TB.

To find out more about ways
to detect TB, contact The
Alabama Lung Association,
THE CHRISTMAS ST. I. PEOP-
LE, Box 904, Dothan, Ala.
They have the facts!

More than 200 types of
industries are now thinking
small—and saving money at
the same time. By using
microfilm to reproduce origi-
nal documents in reduced
size, corporations only need
1/50th of the space they for-
merly used. This helps save
them money, which ultimate-
ly keeps down the prices you
pay for their products!

Using microfilm not only
saves on the rising cost of
paper, but saves trees and
helps avoid paper pollution.

One of the systems used is
called "ultrafilm," which can
reduce an original document
up to 200 times. One com-
mercial ultrafilm system of-
fers users the capability of
placing up to 3,200 pages of
data on one 4 by 6 inch card,
thus reducing mountains of
information to molehill size.

SINCERE APPRECIATION

FOR ALL THE VOTES I RECEIVED IN LAST
TUESDAY'S PRIMARY. I APPRECIATE
EVERYONE'S SUPPORT.

MARION SANDERS

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Marion Sanders, Rt. 2, Brundidge, Al.)

THANK YOU

To all the people of Coffee County who elected me as
Commissioner of District 3. I shall endeavor to serve
you to the best of my ability during my term of office,
and will be available when called upon.

REX BOUTWELL

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Rex Boutwell, Elba, Al.)

I AM TRULY GRATEFUL AND HUMBLE FOR THE
VOTES CAST IN MY BEHALF. CERTAINLY I
EXTEND MY DEEPEST AND WARMEST THANKS
TO MY MANY SUPPORTERS AND FRIENDS. I
RENEW MY PLEDGE TO THE PEOPLE OF PIKE
AND COFFEE COUNTIES TO SERVE YOU HONESTLY,
FAITHFULLY AND IMPARTIALLY AS CIRCUIT
JUDGE. —AGAIN MY HEARTFELT THANKS.

TERRY BUTTS

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Judge Terry L. Butts, Elba, Al.)

MY HEARTFELT THANKS

TO ALL THOSE WHO FAITHFULLY SUPPORTED ME
IN TUESDAY'S PRIMARY. I AM TRULY GRATEFUL
FOR ALL THE FRIENDS I'VE MADE AND PEOPLE
I'VE MET IN THIS CAMPAIGN.

CLYDE COLLIER

(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Clyde Collier, Rt. 1, Enterprise, Al.)

ANNUAL BRUNSON REUNION



BRUNSON FAMILY MEMBERS by the hundreds turned out for the annual Brunson family reunion held at Elba Sunday. One of, if not the largest of reunions in the Wiregrass area, the group meets each year at the Fox Brunson farm in Elba. Relatives from the immediate area are joined each year by a growing number of family members from out of state.



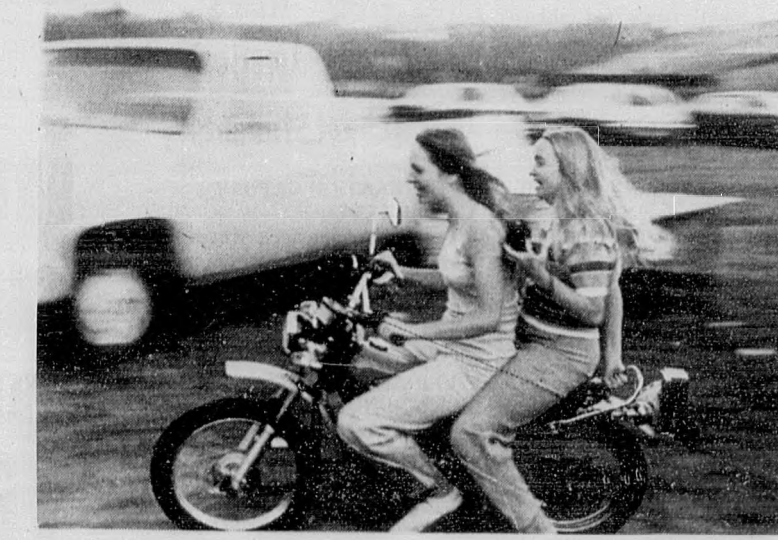
A HIGHLIGHT OF THE BRUNSON REUNION in Elba Sunday was the presentation of an award to Marion Brunson for recognition of his outstanding contributions to the advancement of the Alabama State Society Colonial Dames of The XVII Century. From left, Mrs. E. O'Neal Grievold, Sr., State Chairman of the special awards committee for the Society, Marion Brunson, and Mrs. Harry E. Lane, President of the Society.



Pocahontas Scroggins McCall, age 88, Decatur, Al., retired school teacher, oldest person present, born in Coffee County, lived in Clayton. Amanda Culp, New Brockton, 4-week-old grand-daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Guy Brunson.



Lucy Arnold, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. English



POOR ORIGINAL



SAVE AT BIG BEAR!
PLUS GET THE EXTRA VALUE OF Q-YELLOW STAMPS!

DURING OUR HY-TOP & DEL MONTE DOLLAR DAYS SALE!

WE CARRY A COMPLETE SELECTION OF **FLOWERS** FOR MOTHERS DAY, SUNDAY, MAY 9! SHOP NOW WHILE WE HAVE A COMPLETE SELECTION!

SIX FLAGS TICKETS COST LESS AT BIG BEAR THAN THEY DO AT SIX FLAGS!

PAY ONLY \$6.10 FOR EACH TICKET WITH EACH \$5.00 ORDER.

SAVE \$1.40 ON EACH TICKET

ADULT OR CHILD \$6.10

BUY NOW. SPECIAL PRICE AVAILABLE ONLY THRU JULY 3, 1976.

<p>SHANK PORTION SMOKED HAMS</p> <p>"WATER ADDED"</p> <p>77c LB.</p> <p>HICKORY SMOKED "water added" BUTT PORTION HAM 16-18 LBS. 97c</p> <p>CENTER CUT "water added" HAM 16-18 LBS. \$1.69</p>	<p>QUICK FROZEN BAKING HENS</p> <p>U.S.D.A. "A" GRADE</p> <p>4-7 LB. AVERAGE</p> <p>49c LB.</p> <p>OSCAR MAYER: All meat/All beef BOLOGNA 5-6 OZ. 79c</p> <p>Oscar Mayer FRANKS or All meat/All beef WIENERS 5-6 OZ. \$1.29</p> <p>KAHN'S FULLY COOKED BONELESS HAMS 5-6 OZ. \$2.29</p> <p>RED RING CHEESE 5-6 OZ. \$1.69</p>	<p>FRESH 80% LEAN GROUND BEEF</p> <p>IN PKGS. OF 3 LBS. OR MORE</p> <p>89c LB.</p> <p>OSCAR MAYER BACON 5-6 OZ. \$1.89</p> <p>OSCAR MAYER BABY LINK SAUSAGE 5-6 OZ. \$1.69</p>
<p>HY-TOP SUGAR</p> <p>SAVE 65c</p> <p>5 68c 16-OZ. CANS</p> <p>FRENCH CUT or BLUE LAKE GREEN BEANS 16-OZ. CANS \$1.00</p>	<p>HY-TOP SUGAR</p> <p>SAVE 61c</p> <p>5 68c 16-OZ. CANS</p> <p>EXTRA FINE GRANULATED</p>	<p>HY-TOP SHORTENING</p> <p>SAVE 51c</p> <p>3 78c 16-OZ. CANS</p> <p>CHUNK LIGHT TUNA 16-OZ. CANS \$1.00</p>
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School Board Hears Quarterback Members

The Elba City Board of Education met Monday night in a meeting postponed from last Thursday night. Sam Collier presided at the meeting. Other members of the board are Fred Clark, Ed Cooper, Russell Cash and Doug Martin. All were present for the meeting.

The first item of business was to approve payment of bills and teacher salaries. Following this the Board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Jacqueline Mitchell, a special education teacher at the Middle School.

The board heard a group representing the Elba Quarterback Club. They were requesting that the Quarterback Club have a part in the ad selling and fund disbursement from the football programs. They showed the Board members samples of programs from other schools where many more ads were sold when the Quarterback Club was involved. After a discussion, the board said that was a matter to be decided by the principal with advice from the superintendent. A meeting between the group and the cheerleaders was to be set up by Principal Lamar Foley in the near future. The Quarterback members stated they didn't want to take anything away from the cheerleaders but wanted to help raise more money.

Foley explained to the Board that he tried to spread out the fund raising and not let projects of one group hurt the other.

Taylor reported that auditors had completed auditing of school board funds. Auditing of individual school funds will be conducted next month.

The final item of business was to discuss with the respective principals the need to cut some non-time teachers for next year. Taylor explained that this was brought about by ending of some federal programs. He added that if any of three applications were approved, some of these teachers will be recalled if they are still available.

Mrs. Kathy Smith, Chairman, urged everyone to give generously. Also, a gift may be given in memory of someone.

Ladies of the area are recommended to take advantage of the free Cancer Detection Clinic today, May 13, at the Health Department, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. An appointment can be made by calling 897-2523.

Telephone Co. Appeals Rates

General Telephone Company will appeal a Public Service Commission decision denying the firm a \$3.2 million increase in rates. The formal Notice of Appeal was filed last week in Montgomery County Circuit Court.

Bill Entz, Alabama Vice President and General Manager for the Company, said "The Public Service Commission did not recognize the economic facts and supporting evidence which were presented during the April hearing. Our only recourse is to appeal to the courts."

Entz said that General Telephone has not had a general rate increase since 1972. Since then, he added, "our costs have risen drastically, and we are in dire need of funds in order to continue to provide responsive telephone service."

Two Elbas Are Re-Elected Directors

T. K. Dorsey and George Collier, directors and business executives of Elba, have been re-elected to office in the Alabama Trucking Association at its recent "One Out of Many Convention at the Elba Hotel in Elba, Miss. Dorsey, who is associated with Henry Dorsey Used Trailer Sales and a past Association President, remains as a member of the Board of Directors.

Collier, who is President of Dorsey Trailers, was re-elected as a member of the Board of Directors.

The new officers assume duties on July 1st, beginning of the Association's new year.

Hornsby, Reeves Declared Winner After Runner-Up Decline RunOffs

Coffee County politics took some not unexpected turns during the past several days. Two commissioner candidates who had earned the right to a place in the run-offs of May 25th have announced they will not challenge the high vote getter a second time around. Both had indicated last Wednesday they were considering such action.

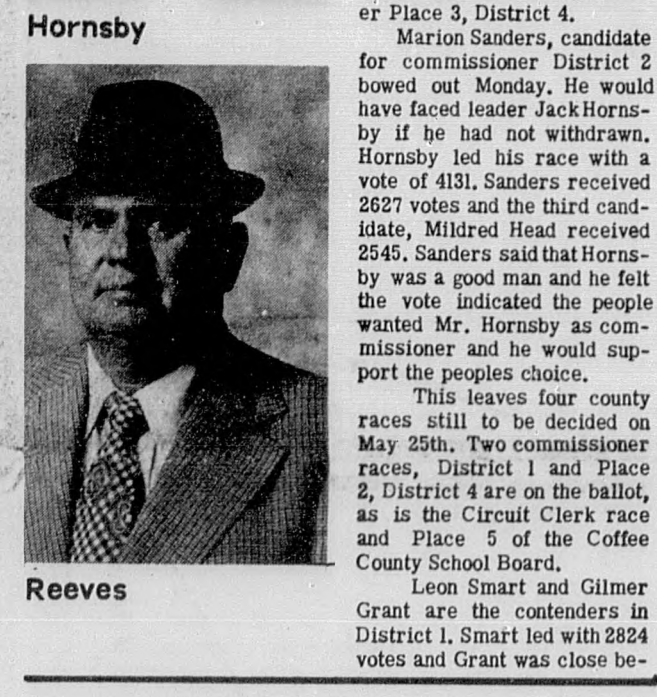
Incumbent O. V. Waters received 202 votes compared to 480 for challenger Max J. Reeves, who ran second four years ago. Reeves lacked only 181 votes getting the required fifty percent needed to look up the election. However, Waters told this newspaper the people had spoken and he would abide. Waters is commissioner of the Circuit Clerk race.

Marion Sanders, candidate for commissioner District 2 bowed out Monday. He would have faced leader Jack Hornsby if he had not withdrawn. Hornsby led his race with a vote of 413. Sanders received 202 votes and the third candidate, Mildred Head received 254. Sanders said that Hornsby was a good man and he felt the vote indicated the people wanted Mr. Hornsby as commissioner and he would support the peoples choice.

This leaves four county races still to be decided on May 25th. Two commissioner races, District 1 and Place 2, District 4 are on the ballot, as is the Circuit Clerk race and Place 5 of the Coffee County School Board.

Leon Smart and Glimmer Grant are the contenders in District 1. Smart has 294 votes and Grant was close behind.

For several days last week stories circulated that Leroy Miller was in a run-off with Rex Boutwell for Commissioner, District 3. However, when the official totals were released, Boutwell won without a run-off, getting 578 votes, the highest number of votes cast for any other candidate in Coffee County. The mixup on votes came from some Enterprise totals that were telephoned in Tuesday night. These figures dropped a zero from Boutwell's total and transposed a two and one in Miller's totals. Several news accounts failed to get the corrected totals in time to release the proper data, but all this was later corrected and Boutwell is the nominee.



CANCER CRUSADE PLANS HOME FUND DRIVE

The Cancer Crusade's Residential Drive is underway in Elba, beginning today, May 13, and continuing through 14 and 15.

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Dennis Smith Gets Degree From Clemson

Edward Dennis Smith of Elba received a Bachelor of Science degree in Recreation and Park Administration from Clemson University on May 7.

Board Meeting Short

The Elba Water and Electric Board met Tuesday night for a short meeting. The business was completed and the group adjourned in less than thirty minutes.

The Board was informed by Chairman Charles Hayes of planned action to improve the lighting at the recreation center ball fields. Hayes explained that it would be necessary to hire an out-of-town machine to get up to the lights. However, this will be the last time for this action, as the lights will be replaced by a light that the utility department equipment can reach without a man being forced to climb the poles that are full of woodpecker holes.

The board approved a joint use pole agreement with Alabama Electric. This was to the board's advantage they were told especially when completing the planned expansion and upgrading of the light lines.

The board approved bills totaling \$6,553.62 for the past month. Chairman Hayes presented the bills and told the other members he had checked each one and found them all to be in order but they were available to any board member wishing to check them.

Baton Students To Perform Friday Night

Lynn McRae School of Baton will present their annual recital on May 14 at 7:30 in the Opp High School Auditorium.

Girls performing in the recital from Elba are Peggy and Kim Whitman performing baton routines, "Mame" and "Saturday Night."

Shannon Hargrove, Sherrie Donaldson, Sharon Grimes and Nita Calhoun will perform "Love Will Keep Us Together" and "There's No Business Like Show Business."

Cindy Miller and Beverly Hargrove will perform "Melody in My Heart." Beverly Hargrove will do the opening and closing numbers, "Rocking Robin," "6 Trombones" and "Get Me to the Church on Time."

The public is invited.



This group of youngsters were photographed in 1952 at the Sand Hill School near Elba. Mrs. Idelle Whitman was a member of the class and assisted with the gathering of the history used.

The picture was submitted by Mr. Curtis Young, of the nephew of Mr. J. K. Reynolds who was employed by THE ELBA CLIPPER from 1907 to 1912 as a printer.

Pictured are: Walton Wise, Little Rowe, Oscar Parker, John Pitts, Bee Davis, Idelle Young, Sam Rowe, Mr. Ray (teacher), Doris Wise, Ollie Williams, Jim George Wise, Sam Davis, Lorell Parker, Syble Smith, Tommy Farris, Lorenzo Farris, Alto Kelley, Myrtle Young, Curtis Young, Walter Lee Young, Dewey Young, Rita Smith, Dixie Wise, Roy Wise, Sallie Parker, Lucy Mae Davis, Samson Davis, and Lorell Davis.